



Introducing

Newstreets for Small Cities

Coming Soon: a new paving program to be demonstrated for small cities in 2003

Mission

To capitalize on unique paving opportunities in small cities in order to return street surfaces to an acceptable quality while driving down the costs for asphalt paving by maximizing economies of scale.

Newstreets is TIB's approach to assisting small cities in "getting ahead of the curve" with street maintenance and community revitalization. The Newstreets Program envisions creating partnerships, taking advantage of paving opportunities and making economy of scale work in favor of small cities. TIB will select up to five cities for Newstreets demonstration projects in 2003.

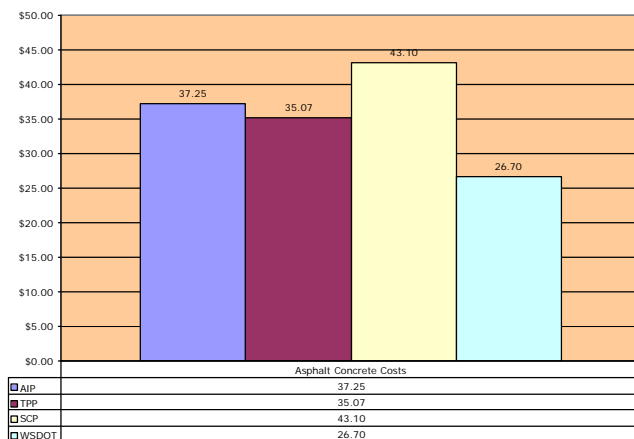


Washington Way- City of George

How Newstreets works:

- Candidate cities must have newer or very well maintained subsurface utilities.
- Partnership opportunities should exist with other grant projects, WSDOT paving projects and/or county overlay programs.
- TIB will add funding to the partnership to pave up to 100% of arterial miles within city limits.
- No match will be required, however; a minimum of 5% match is recommended and will be used to pave local streets at the lower unit costs.

TIB pays sixty-percent more for asphalt than WSDOT.



North Clark- City of Republic

Cities with quality subsurface utilities and other paving opportunities should contact their TIB project engineer.

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